

REJECTED BIDS FOR THE WORK

Panama Canal Problem Becomes More Complicated By Action Of The Cabinet.

STEVENS RESIGNED HIS POSITION

This Latter Comes As A General Surprise To Those Not On The Inside Of The Present Canal Proposition.

[By Associated Press.]
Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—Two surprises were sprung on the general public today with the announcement that the cabinet had held a meeting this morning and had decided to reject all of the present bids for the digging of the Panama canal. The second was the announcement that John F. Stevens had tendered his resignation as chief engineer of the canal work.

Both Surprises
Both announcements came as a surprise as it was thought that the present bids for the canal work would be accepted as President Roosevelt has made several decided statements relative to this matter and it was understood he approved of accepting the bids offered and passed upon.

Stevens to Leave
The resignation of John F. Stevens is taken to mean that the rejection of his plan to have the government dig the canal itself not let contracts for the work has caused him to withdraw.
The Ship Subsidy Bill
Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—The house today resolved itself into a committee of the whole for the consideration of the ship subsidy bill. Five hours were devoted to the general debate. The sundry civil bill passed the senate today and Senator Aldrich called his currency bill this afternoon.



Whenever a Russian gets an appointment from the Czar he immediately gets busy with wills and testaments and undertakers' rate cards.

NICARAGUAN TAKES AN AMERICAN BRIDE

Minister at Washington and Daughter of United States Army Colonel Wedded

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Washington, D. C., Feb. 26.—All Washington is taking an interest in tomorrow's wedding of Senor Corea, the Nicaraguan minister, and Miss India Belle Fleming, the daughter of Col. and Mrs. Robert I. Fleming of this city. The event promises to be one of the most brilliant of the season in the national capital. Senor Corea will have the Mexican ambassador, Senor Enrique Creel, as his best man. Miss Fleming will have four bridesmaids, one of whom will be Miss Emma Shaw, daughter of the Secretary of the Treasury. The ceremony will be performed by Rev. Dr. T. J. Hamlin, rector of the church of the Covenant. A large wedding breakfast and reception will follow the ceremony, which is to take place at noon at the home of the bride's parents.

IMMIGRATION CASES CALLED FOR TRIAL

Charlotte Cotton Mill Owners Charged With Importing Contract Labor In Violation of Law.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Greensboro, N. C., Feb. 26.—The so-called Charlotte cotton mill cases, in which prominent mill owners, are charged with violation of the Alien Contract Labor Law in bringing immigrants from England to work in mills, were called for trial in the federal court today. Judge James E. Boyd presiding. There are four defendants. Three of them, E. C. Dwyer, Summer Sargent and Edward A. Smith, are prominent mill owners, while the fourth, Thomas M. Costello of Philadelphia, is alleged to have been sent to England as an agent and induced a number of English people to come to Charlotte and accept employment at the cotton mills. A number of the English immigrants are held here to testify for the prosecution. The mill men will rely for their defense principally upon the clause of the immigration laws which gives employers the right to import labor when the same labor cannot be secured in this country. The mill men claim that their plants were lying idle because of a scarcity of labor, hence the importation of the English help. They will further call attention to the South Carolina cases in which Secretary Strauss, of the Department of Commerce and Labor, held that immigrants could be landed where they are needed to take the place of American laborers whose services cannot be secured.

PLEADS GUILTY TO USING THE MAIL

Man Who Used Mails to Defraud People Pleads Guilty and Is Given Sentence.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 26.—W. J. Diehl pleaded guilty in the federal court before Judge Sanborn this morning and was fined five hundred dollars and costs for procuring many carloads of wood and sawdust by the fraudulent use of the mails.

WASHED QUARTERS TO PASS FOR THE GOLD

Discovered That Imitation Ten-Dollar Gold-Pieces Have Been Flooding Market.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Soo, Mich., Feb. 26.—One bank this morning discovered a big scheme of washing quarter dollars with gold to pass them as tens. There is no clue and the whole of northern Michigan and northern Wisconsin are flooded with them since the last nine pay day.

DEFECTS OF MODERN SCHOOLS DISCUSSED

Educators from Various Parts of Nation Assembled in Chicago for Three-Day Session.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Chicago, Ill., Feb. 26.—Many educators whose fame is of national scope gathered in Chicago today, the occasion being the annual meeting of the National Educational Association. During the three days it will be in session the department will discuss the scope, defects and products of the schools, the qualifications and training of teachers, essential studies, the financial value of education and numerous other topics relating to the broader side of educational work. Meetings in conjunction with the department are being held by the National Society for the Scientific Study of Education, the Educational Press Association of America and the Society of College Teachers of Education. Among the prominent speakers to be heard are Mayor Dunne, Chancellor E. Benjamin Andrews of the University of Nebraska, Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, James H. Eckles, and Superintendent Cooley of the Chicago public schools.

LAWSON THINKS HE WILL LIVE TO WIN

Made Such a Statement Today, His Fiftieth Anniversary—Did Not Celebrate Event.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Boston, Mass., Feb. 26.—Thomas W. Lawson, high priest of finance and arch-enemy of "the system," was fifty years old today. Mr. Lawson held no special observance of the anniversary, being kept pretty busy lately explaining the future movements of Trinity and other of his favorite copper stocks. To a number of his friends who called to congratulate him Mr. Lawson remarked that he was still a comparatively young man and had every expectation of living to see the day when the Standard Oil school of finance shall have shut up shop.

LUMBER COMPANY'S SECOND BIG FIRE

Saw and Shingle Mill at Park Falls, Wis., Burned with Loss of Fifty Thousand.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Park Falls, Wis., Feb. 26.—The Park Falls saw and shingle mill of the Roddis Lumber and Veneer company was entirely destroyed by fire last night, entailing a loss of fifty thousand dollars. The plant was only insured for twenty thousand. The planing mill and lumber yards were only saved through the heroic efforts of the firemen. This is the second heavy loss of the Roddis people within a short time, their veneer factory at Marshfield having burned last week.

Opera in Kansas City

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 26.—A large advance sale of seats indicates financial success for the Kansas City engagement of the San Carlo opera company of New Orleans, which opens in Convention hall tonight. The company is to give four performances of grand opera, with Nordica, Nielsen, Constantino and Campanari heading the list of principals. Many music lovers are here from various points in Missouri and Kansas to attend the opening.

HARRIMAN ADMITS A POINT TO EXAMINER

But Says He Never Told the Public That Alton Stock Would Pay Dividend.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
New York, Feb. 26.—Edward H. Harriman was asked today by Kellogg, the counsel for the interstate commerce commission, if he thought it right to put upon the public at large an issue of Alton common stock



EDWARD H. HARRIMAN.
(Railroad Man Who Has Figured in Mammoth Deals.)

which never could pay a dividend. Harriman quietly asked: "Did we ever tell the public the Alton would pay a dividend?"

ABEHUMMEL APPEARS ON WITNESS STAND

Fun in Store for Lawyer Mentioned So Often in the Thaw Trial Testimony.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
New York, Feb. 26.—Abe Hummel was the first witness called in the Thaw case this morning.

BUSSE'S NOMINATION IS NOW ASSURED

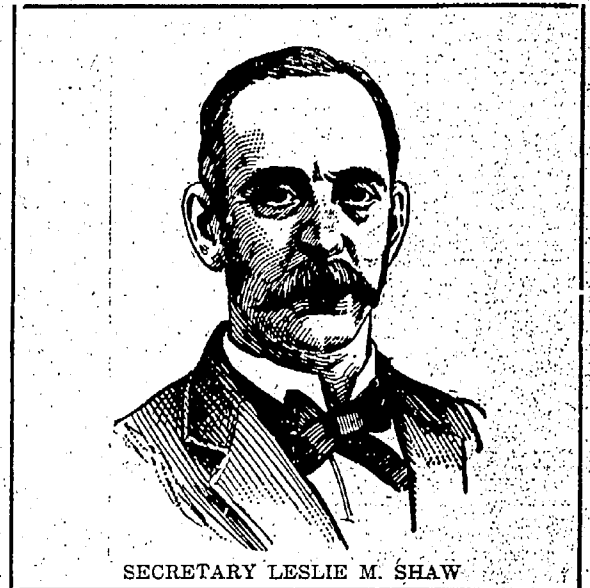
[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS.]
Chicago, Feb. 26.—The nomination of Postmaster Busse by the republicans



FRED A. BUSSE.
can city convention is assured owing to the fact no other candidate's name will be mentioned.

LESLIE SHAW ENTERS THE PAY OF CARNEGIE TODAY

Secretary Of The Treasury This Afternoon Elected President Of The Carnegie Trust Co.



SECRETARY LESLIE M. SHAW

[By Associated Press.]
New York, Feb. 26.—Leslie M. Shaw, secretary of the treasury, was today elected president of the Carnegie Trust Co., to be effective March 5th.

ARRESTED ALLEGED KANSAS FUGITIVE

Sheriff Fisher Apprehended Charles Altemus on Charge of Kidnaping Young Girl.

Charles Altemus, who sold his property in the town of Janesville and settled with three brothers on a ranch in Chase county, Kansas, eleven years ago, was arrested in an Edgerton tobacco warehouse last week Wednesday and taken back to his own state on a requisition from Governor Hoch which Governor Davidson saw fit to honor. Sheriff W. K. Meyers of Kansas had been looking for the man for many weeks and was able to locate him through the assistance of Sheriff I. U. Fisher, who accompanied him and the prisoner to the state line. Altemus is charged with drugging and kidnaping a 20-year-old girl and taking her to California and it was the young woman who made the complaint to Gov. Hoch against him. After his alleged crime he did not return to Kansas and it is believed that he sold out his \$20,000 interests in the ranch to his brothers. It is further believed that he went to sorting tobacco in Edgerton in the hope of hiding his identity and evading the officers of the law. The young woman is said to be in a very precarious condition. Altemus is a married man about 45 years of age and was a respected resident when he lived in this section of the country.

THIRTEEN OF JURY EXCUSED

FOR VARIOUS REASONS AND IT IS FOUND NECESSARY

TO CALL SPECIAL VENIRE

Aldermanic Salary Test Case Is Being Argued Today—Two Beloit Divorce Actions.

Thirteen of the thirty-six jurors who were to serve during the February term presented excuses and were relieved from duty yesterday afternoon. W. T. Dooley, the auctioneer, was unable to serve for business reasons. Arthur Broughton of Magnolia, was in Madison, and Walter Kerry in Hammond, Ill. The other ten who had good and sufficient reasons for not sitting in the jury box were: William Bahr, Orlando Baker and Anton Honewald of Janesville; E. A. Day, B. E. Wood, and J. T. Johnson of Beloit; John Mawhinney of Edgerton; B. W. Maxon of Milton; Gilbert Grandale of Newark, and Fred Hubbell of Porter.

Special Venire Summoned.
A special venire of thirteen was drawn and the individuals thereof will be summoned to fill the vacant places when the jury re-assembles here next Monday. The personnel is as follows: H. W. Parker of Claude; Inman, and A. R. Ball of Beloit; E. N. Haugen of Orfordville; Jacob Smiley of Plymouth; W. B. Porter of Porter; Richard Dixon of Lima; Frank Rice of Johnston; Edward Bauman of Janesville; William Crandall of Milton village; George Campbell of the town of Rock; O. P. Gaarder of Spring Valley, and Frank Story of Harmony.

Aldermanic Test Case Argued.
Judge Grimm has granted to Mrs. Josephine Henry of Beloit a decree of divorce from her husband, William B. Henry, on the grounds of cruel and inhuman treatment. Atty. William Bates of Beloit was to this afternoon present in behalf of his client, Mrs. Alice Flowers, a petition for a decree of divorce from her husband, Frank Flowers. This morning the arguments on the writ of mandamus to compel Mayor Hutchinson to affix his signature to the orders for the payment of the \$5 a meeting compensation to the junior aldermen, were taken up by Atty. Thomas S. Nolan and City Attorney H. L. Maxfield. Counsel for the plaintiff endeavored to show that there was, in the case in question, no tangible, recognized distinction between salary and compensation—that five dollars a meeting for each session attended was just as much a salary as \$120 a year would have been. The defense presented the points that have already been reviewed in these columns to support the contention that the distinction was clear and unmistakable. Twenty-four law books were piled up on the table between the two lawyers and a small gallery looked on complacently as the arguments were unfolded. The case was not finished at noon and was to be taken up again this afternoon. It is purely a case for the court and an early decision is expected from Judge Grimm.

BRODHEAD TO HAVE NEW OPERA HOUSE

It is Reported That Work on Ruins Will be Commenced When Frost is Out of Ground.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]
Brodhead, Wis., Feb. 26.—It is reported that the Laube opera house is to be rebuilt, work to commence just as soon as weather will permit in the spring.

With seven new store buildings, an opera house, a big tobacco warehouse, and a new high school building to be built the coming season, our little city will certainly be a busy place.

It would seem the woodchuck made a mistake this time, so nice is the weather. Mr. A. Rowe is quite sick. A pleasant meeting of the Pleasure club was held last evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Stair. Tearing down of the old high school building will commence on Friday. The social given by the E. F. U. at the home of Postmaster and Mrs. A. B. Kidlow last evening was the best of the kind ever given. A large crowd was in attendance and all greatly enjoyed the evening. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones are packing their household effects preparatory to moving to Baraboo. Mr. Jones has engaged to travel for the Stoughton shoe factory and for the present Mrs. Jones will make her home with her parents in Baraboo.

Buy it in Janesville.



SENATOR JOSEPH WELDON BAILEY OF TEXAS.

United States senator cleared yesterday by the state senate of Texas of the charges brought against him.

STATE CONVENTIONS OF HARDWARE MEN

Ohioans at Columbus and Gophers at St. Paul—Other Conventions Now in Progress.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Columbus, O., Feb. 26.—The annual convention of the Ohio Hardware Dealers' association, which opened in Columbus today, is the largest in point of attendance ever held by the organization. More than 1,000 visitors were present at the opening and they came from every part of the state. In addition to the members of the association the attendance includes several hundred hardware manufacturers who have arranged an elaborate exhibition of their wares in Memorial hall, where the sessions of the convention also are being held. Three days will be spent in transacting the business of the association and discussing various questions of interest to the hardware trade. Many interesting features of entertainment have been arranged to intersperse the business sessions.

Minnesota Hardware Association
St. Paul, Minn., Feb. 26.—The Minnesota Retail Hardware association began its twelfth annual convention in this city today, with headquarters at the Hotel Ryan. The sessions are to be continued until Saturday and will be devoted to the discussion of a wide variety of subjects of interest to the dealers.

Michigan Farmers' Institute
Ionia, Mich., Feb. 26.—There was a gratifying attendance today at the opening of the state farmers' institute and the annual meeting of the Michigan Corn Improvement association. The program of the gathering covers four days and is replete with interesting and instructive features. The feeding and care of dairy cows, the care of the apple orchard, the growing of alfalfa, beans and other farm crops, the breeding and feeding of farm animals, forestry, good roads, rural schools, and domestic science and economy are among the subjects

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V. Pres.; B. B. Baker, Mgr.**PEOPLES' COAL CO.**Yards; Pleasant St., foot of Wash-
ington. Phones: New, 293; Old, 2061.
City office: Badger Drug Co.Two local people will
drive new**Maxwell Automobiles**this season. F. C. Cook
and Dr. G. G. Chittenden
have placed orders for the
new 14 horse-power Run-
about Cars with**Roy Pierson, the local agent**

Prosy Talk After Dinner.

From New York comes a wall of
agony. It is the despairing cry of the
bored diner; the man who goes to a
banquet and has his entire evening
spoiled by the stupid speeches which
top off the feast. He even threatens
to forego this feeling; a terrible threat
for a metropolis and an index of the
greatness of the evil and its accom-
panying torture.

The Changes of Time.

The physical characteristics of the
English are altering rapidly says a
writer. The tall, graceful woman with
the finely shaped head, well chiseled
nose, kindly eyes, sweet smile, small
feet and hands, and light tread is
almost extinct; she is being replaced
by big-mad women, with a firm chin,
hard-looking, and taking long, deci-
sive strides.

Patriotism Unrewarded.

When the last census was taken in
France the mayor of Montmartre, in the
Tarn, thought he would save his
townspeople trouble, so he filled up
the papers himself. Reflecting that
France is threatened with depopulation,
he added to each family a boy
here and a girl there, and occasionally
a pair of twins. He increased the
population of Montmartre on paper by
about 100 souls. For this an ungrate-
ful government has taken his office
from him.

Buy it in Janesville.

**GILLIES CHOSEN
SUPERINTENDENT**AT BUSINESS SESSION OF EVANS-
VILLE FARMERS' INSTITUTE.**AWARD OF PRIZES REPORTED**Many Fine Addresses and Excellent
Programs Given During
Two Days.

[SPECIAL TO THE GAZETTE.]

Evansville, Feb. 25.—The local
Farmers' Institute closed its most
successful convention on Saturday
evening. While some of the address-
es were better than others, all were
good. On Friday morning the pres-
ident gave his annual address, say-
ing some complimentary things about
agriculture in general, about Wiscon-
sin and about the immediate vicinity,
and about Evansville in particular.
He said our farmers fed all their crops
on their own farms and gave the vol-
ume of business done in some lines:
519 full carloads of livestock were
shipped from Evansville in 1906,
amounting to about \$415,000, beside
\$44,000 paid out from local creamery
for milk. Frank Hyne said it was a
good plan to change seed oats, espe-
cially for prairie farmers, getting grain
from clay soil. Some others thought
the benefit might be enhanced by
getting new and better varieties. C.
F. Jorgensen said the main reason
small grain were put in a shiftless
manner, advocated plowing the ground
and turning the soil before, but in any
method to fully pulverize and mellow
the seed bed.The afternoon was given to the
ladies who were greeted with an au-
dience of about 200. The solos were
well executed and the papers of more
than ordinary merit.The evening program furnished by
the Evansville Seminary was up to
their usual high standard, delivered
to a good and appreciative audience.
Mr. Webb gave a scholarly address
emphasizing the importance of culti-
vating good character. Nearly every
musical number, and a recitation by
ena Brooks were encored.Saturday morning at 9:30 Mayor C.
J. Pearson, who is also somewhat of
a farmer, gave his experience in the
use of a silo and seemed to be very
well satisfied with results so far; he
said his cows looked sleek and fine
and produced more milk and cheaper
than on dry feed.Otto Toepfer from Madison, a prac-
tice farmer, also spoke on the silo in
connection of the feeding of beef cat-
tle. He said he fed 20 steers 100 days
and they gained over 200 lbs. per head
and gained at least \$1.00 per cwt. in
quality. He was pleased with the silo.
Prof. Otis of the Agriculture Experiment
Station spoke on Feeding the Dairy
Cow. Prof. Otis is a good plain talk-
er, uses good language and speaks so
an audience can hear and appreci-
ate. In the afternoon H. C. Taylor
of Orono, Wis., continued the subject.
He said it was no use to try to make
a dairy cow out of one of best breed.
He recommended silage as the cheap-
est and best feed for dairy cow.Miss Helen Richardson went to Be-
loft Friday to spend Saturday and
Sunday with her cousin Miss Clara
Richardson who is a student at Be-
loft college.In the basketball game which took
place here Friday evening between
Evansville and Oregon boys' home
team was victorious, the score being
37 to 6.Glenn Magee has rented the house
on Second street recently vacated by
Frank Broughton.Miss Marie Burham arrived from
Madison Friday and was the guest of
Laverna Gillies a few days.Mrs. Jennie Edwards who has been
spending the winter with her mother
Mrs. Chas. Stein has returned to her
home in Highland, Ill.The Misses De Elta and Bessie
Morrison entertained friends from
Oregon last week.Miss Mary Kleinsmith and Miss Mae
Merrick visited with Janesville friends
a few days the last of the week.Miss Hattie Hanson has returned
from Woodford, Wis., where she has
been taking a vacation of several
weeks before opening her millinery
parlors for spring business.Mrs. E. S. Gray of Oregon visited
her daughter Mrs. Joe, Eastman Sat-
urday.Fred Davis who was here to visit
his sister Ruth returned to Beloit last
evening.H. D. Morgan has for a few days
been a great sufferer from a badly
sprained wrist.Leta Walton and Grace Fessenden
spent the last of the week at their
homes in this city.Miss Mary Rye who has been visit-
ing at the home of her sister Mrs.
Fred Winston returned to Milton Sun-
day evening.James Leigh who recently purchas-
ed the W. C. Caldwell farm, moved
onto it Saturday.Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hungerford
went to Madison Friday to spend the
day with relatives there.G. W. Leyda is entertaining his sis-
ter, Miss Kate Leyda of Rock Island,
Illinois.Lester Banker who of late has been
in Oregon, spent Sunday with his par-
ents.Miss Nettie Sayles of Whitewater
has been spending a few days with
friends in this city.Fred Dennison and family have moved
to Stoughton.C. L. Schellenger of Denver, Colora-
do, is in the city on business.J. H. Brand was a business visitor
in Janesville Friday.Sadie and Marian Ames of Brook-
lyn spent Sunday with friends in Ev-
ansville.Elva and Clarence Scheible gave a
party to twenty-five friends last Sat-
urday afternoon. Master Edwin Fish-
er of Janesville was among the guests.Miss Cora Harris is entertaining
her friend Mrs. Schetter of Janesville.Miss Pearl Van Vleet visited former
classmates in Beloit Friday.Mrs. E. Walters who has been very
sick is now improving very rapidly.Mr. B. B. Billings, traveling sales-
man for the Lee Broom and brush
company, spent Sunday with his fam-
ily.A. W. Van Wormer transacted busi-
ness in Janesville yesterday.Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Blodgett are mov-
ing their household goods to Chicago
and will make that city their future
home.Jay Bruik and Monte Rogers were
with friends in Madison Sunday.Fred Clark was in Janesville Fri-
day.**DATE OF THE FARMERS'
MASS-MEETING CHANGED
TO FRIDAY, MARCH 1ST**C. D. McCarthy and Others Will Be
at Courthouse This Week to Talk
to Sugar-Beet Growers.The Gazette was advised today that
the date of the American Society of
Equity meeting which was to have
been held at the courthouse here on
Saturday, March 2, has been changed
to the day preceding, Friday, March
1. The sugar-beet proposition and the
subject of profitable marketing of all
farm products will be discussed by C.
D. McCarthy, of Porter, H. E. Holmes
of Milton, and C. W. McCarthy. The
promoters ask for a large attendance
of farmers.**FREE.**This coupon is good for one
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prices is believed to have passed. One
of the men most desirous of having
the plan executed is Senator Stout of
Menomonie, and it has been suggested
that he would be one of a number
of Wisconsin men of means who would
lend material assistance in carrying
the plan into success. Here is a mem-
ber of the committee on capitol and
for years has given study to the build-
ing of a new state house. He, in
common with many other men who
have given the subject thought, is im-
pressed with the necessity for more
room in the site of the capitol, and
with desirability, if not public neces-
sity, for having adequate ground as a
setting for a capitol building which
the state has already begun to erect.

Thought Out.

A year ago, when the proposition
for making a start on a new capitol
was first broached, he and other sen-
ators, then examining the question
that arose in connection with the
cramped conditions of the supreme
court, came to the conclusion that the
state should plan permanently and
with a view to properly caring for the
future needs of the state. In the ses-
sion of 1903 a capitol building com-
mission was constituted by legislative
enactment, and plans were secured
for an entire new capitol, to be con-
structed part at a time as the needs
of the state should demand. Then
came the fire in the state house in the
closing days of February, 1904, neces-
sitating some expedition in the pro-
cess of building. Difference arose in
the session of 1905 resulting in the
abandonment of the first plan as in-
volving too great expense, material
changes were made in the constitu-
tion and powers of the commission,
and a new set of plans were secured.
Some senators, among them W. H.
Fatten and J. H. Stout, were of the
opinion that the state would be wise
to go out into the country in the vic-
inity of Madison, secure a tract of
some forty or more acres of land and
there build the new state house. This
plan did not gain much following at
that time, but the opinion prevailed
that the present capitol park was in-
adequate in area to properly accommo-
date such a capitol building as the
growth and development of the state
would require, and the present plan
to enlarge the park is the result.
Some of the public men interested in
this matter were enthusiastic enough
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BOARDING—At Mrs. T. Kelly's, 111 S. Main
street, at reasonable rates. Three blocks
from W. Milwaukee St.

WANTED—Hotel room, housekeeper, girls
for hotel and private houses. Mrs. J.
McCarthy, 278 W. Milwaukee street, both
phones.

WANTED—Good live solicitor at once. Call
at Myers Hotel.

WANTED for U. S. Army—Able-bodied, un-
married men between ages of 21 and 35; citi-
zens of United States; of good character and
temperate habits; who can speak, read and
write English. Men now needed for regiments
designated for Philippine duty. For information
apply at Empire Hotel, Janesville, or 20 Main
St., Milwaukee, Wis.

WANTED—Clean, good sized cotton rags for
wiping machinery, at Gazette office.

WANTED—Lady or gentleman of fair educa-
tion to travel and collect for firm of
323,000 capital. Salary \$1,000 per year and ex-
penses. Salary paid weekly, and expenses ad-
vanced. References required. Address, with
stamp, J. A. Alexander, Janesville, Wis.

WANTED—Girl at the Ottoman House, a Ap-
ply at No. 3 S. Academy St.

WANTED—Young lady to act as cashier and
bookkeeper in retail market. Please ad-
dress application to Cudahy Brothers Company,
care of C. J. Johns, Cudahy, Wis., giving experi-
ence and references.

WANTED—Competent girl for general house-
work. Mrs. H. I. Bliss, Jackson and 2
Second Sts.

WANTED—Girl for light housework or to
care for two children. Room, board and
good pay. Address 905 Gazette.

WANTED—A woman to cook. Inquire at
Mrs. Butts' restaurant, 33 South Main St.

WANTED—Dressmaking and plain sewing.
Inquire at 32 Sharps street.

WANTED—Immediately—Ambitious men to
qualify themselves to earn good pay as
railroad firemen and brakemen. Write or call
on C. M. Guthrie, Empire Hotel, Janesville, 7 to
10 P. M.

WANTED—Shoe cutters, \$18 weekly to first
class cutters; also several on cheaper
work and two trimming cutters. F. Mayer Boot
& Shoe Co., Milwaukee, Wis.

WANTED—\$2,000 on real estate. Address
905, city.

WANTED—Two furnished rooms, by young
couple. Address 222 Gazette.

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—Farm of 120 acres six miles west,
in town of Jock. Inquire at 301 Lion St.

FOR RENT—First class room, and board, in
private family, No. 6 East street, north.
New phone 794 white.

FOR RENT—One nicely furnished room; suit-
able for one or two men. Convenient for
railroad men. 181 W. Milwaukee St.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Old newspapers, put up in bun-
dles; five cents per bundle at Gazette office

FOR SALE—Eighty acres, in town of Center,
Rock Co., Wis., with a large house and
payment. Apply to F. J. Stevens, Lovejoy
Block.

I HAVE a No. 1 fresh home made butter
sweet only 30c a pound; fresh home made
chips at 5c a lb. Call at Alice Raskov's, 30 S.
Main street.

FOR SALE—Chap—Two horse power electric
motor, nearly new. Inquire of F. O. Hum-
phrey, 331 St. Mary's avenue; new phone 506.

FOR SALE OR RENT—House, barn, tobacco
shed and four acres of land. D. W. Pound,
care of Prairie and Benton avenues.

IF YOU are looking for good investments, buy
a good house, lot or farm. I have them; also
some choice timber lands. I have a large list
of property to select from and can please you in
price or location. Money to loan at five per cent
on good security. For Rent: Several good
houses well located. Also good modern flat.
For particulars call or phone Jas. W. Scott.
Real Estate Loan Office, 212 W. Milwaukee
street, Phone 1000. Both phones.

MEN—Our 1907 catalogue explains how we
teach barber trade in a few weeks; mailed
free. Write Motor Barber College Chicago, Ill.

F.B. WILCOX, farm and live stock agent
at the farm.

FOR SALE—House and large lot corner of
Hunger Avenue and Ringold St. A bargain.
Hamer & Reed.

FOR SALE—House and buggy. 471 South
Franklin street.

FOR SALE—A good square plot in excellent
condition. Low price. Inquire at 223 South
Main St.

MITIGATION TYPE WRITTEN LETTERS.
By the Nelson process; guaranteed absolute
reproducible. No copy made. Write for
sample written paper from the reproduction as
printed by our Printing Department, Gazette
Printing Co.

FOR SALE—Eight year old farm mare; weight
1,200 lbs. Inquire of Dr. B. L. Brown, Court
street, Janesville.

FOR SALE—Eighty acres of good land, good
buildings; cheap if taken at once. J. E.
Kennedy, city.

MISCELLANEOUS

MONEY TO LOAN on real estate security.
M. F. L. Clemons, 104 West Milwaukee St.

FOR DISTRIBUTION—Pension blanks for
pensioners under act of congress Feb. 28,
1907. Call for same at J. Cunningham, Hayes
Block.

AUCTION—March 7—Owing to ill health, I will
sell at public auction on my farm four and
one-half miles northeast of Clinton, pick the
best machinery, produce and a few household
goods. Also two farms of 170 and 117 acres for
sale or rent. W. T. Dooley, auctioneer; E. L.
Beecher.

CLAIRVOYANT and Trance medium. Mrs.
Louise H. Davenport tells you all about
business of yourself and other affairs. Read-
ings daily till 9 p. m. 461 S. Jackson St.

FOR SALE—cheap—Telephones, good as new.
Just the thing to connect farm buildings
with house or different rooms in a factory.
Richard Valentine, Jackson Building, Jans-
ville, Wis.

..Forty Years Ago..

Janesville Daily Gazette, Tuesday,
February 26, 1867.—A party of railroad
men were here recently to look after
business connected with the new depot to
be built the coming summer.

Railroad Improvements.—The Chicago
& Northwestern company have just
completed a new turntable and expect
the coming summer to build a new ad-
dition to their roundhouse to consist
of twelve stalls for locomotives.

The unsightly ruins of Morse & Han-
son's Furniture Manufactory, destroyed
by fire a few weeks ago are begin-
ning to assume a much more pleasant
and business like aspect. Workmen
are busy rebuilding the establishment,
and have already got the foundation
ready for the superstructure. Suc-
cess to the enterprising proprietors.

Pleasant Intelligence to Gas Con-
sumers.—It has been ascertained that
the difficulty with the gas that the
main pipe through North Main street
is frozen solid full of ice. Mr. Merrill
is making every effort to thaw out
the pipe, but it is a very slow process
and it is quite uncertain when the

consumers of gas along the frozen dis-
trict will again be favored with a sup-
ply.

The Bridge War.—Our bridge war is
waxing hotter and hotter and now
threatens a degree of interest equal
to the war which once prevailed be-
tween the East and West Siders of
Milwaukee. No blood was shed in
that case, but the controversy was
carried on with all the personal bit-
terness which promises to character-
ize ours. We presume the bridge in
question will be built when the time
comes that it is needed for the ac-
commodation of the public, but it never
should be built unless the ques-
tion has been submitted and approved
of by the people who are to be taxed
for its construction. The call for the
adjourned indignation meeting has
been printed under the caption, "Be-
ware of the Bridge Scandal." Since the
call for the original meeting was pub-
lished Mayor John Mitchell and E. L.
Dimock have stated that they never
consented to have their names under
such an instrument, that their con-
sent to use them under a same call for
a quiet mass meeting was asked and
given.

Before The Footlights.

"Way Down East" is at the Myers
theatre, Thursday, Feb. 28. That rare
oldtimer, "Way Down East," is on its
annual tour. Time may come and go,
plays degenerate, and even "Uncle
Tom" seeks the cheap theatres, but
after years of playing, this
pastoral of the New England farm is
said to be as big a money-winner as
ever in the first-class houses, and to
have lost none of its charm and fresh-
ness even though it has been played
on the same stages the country over
time and again.

The ladies still sorrow with "Anna,"
the deeply wronged girl. Squire Bart-
lett, the stern but kindly old farmer
who interprets life and the scriptures
according to his New England ideas
is as potent as ever. Mary young Dav-
id, the gossiping old spinster, and
Seth, the list, including H.
Seth Holcomb, Rube Whipple,
the constable, and motherly Mrs. Bart-
lett, all return with the same amazing
power to charm and interest as in
seasons past for they are the same
good old-fashioned folks who occupy
their own niche in the hearts of thea-
tre patrons.

MILTON FIRE DEPT. HAD HARD BATTLE

Defective Chimney Caused Blaze Be-
tween Walls of House—Aged Oc-
cupant Threatened With Illness.

Milton, Wis., Feb. 26.—The fire de-
partment was called out at seven
o'clock Friday morning to the resi-
dence of Mrs. Alvira Gray. The boys
got there in quick time, despite a run
of nearly a half mile. The fire was
caused by a defective chimney, which
had burned out the previous evening,
and when the department arrived
they found the house full of smoke.
The fire had eaten its way in the par-
titions and it was necessary to cut a
hole in the regular chimney and in
both on the lower and upper floors to
get at the flames. Two loads of hose
were used and the blaze was soon ex-
tinguished. The damage was greater
from water than fire, but its use was
a necessity. Fully insured in the
Harmony Mutual Co. The most seri-
ous feature of the fire is the appre-
hension that Mrs. Gray, who is an
aged lady, may be sick as a result of
the excitement and dampness.

Miss Willey, spent Washington's
holiday in Milwaukee. Miss Fry went
to Evansville, and Principal Bartlett
to Ft. Atkinson.

Prof. H. T. Jackson of Waubesaun,
Ill., spent Friday, Saturday, and Sun-
day at home.

Mrs. S. Summers of Monroe has
been visiting Milton relatives.

Flags at half mast on the high
school and Clarke's postoffice build-
ings were the only noticeable observance
of Washington's birthday.

The two rural carriers from this of-
fice delivered 1049 pieces of mail Sat-
urday.

Doctors Pember and Sutherland of
Janesville were here Sunday, see-
ing Jane Walker, whose case shows
a little improvement.

Miss Grace Spaulding of Edgerton
spent Saturday at home.

Messrs. F. G. Borden and W. M.
Dillon went to Cashton Sunday after-
noon.

S. Summers of Madison spent Sun-
day in the village.

J. A. Coon is dangerously ill and
Mrs. Coon and Mrs. J. F. Whitford
are both sick.

J. R. Davidson of Milwaukee was a
visitor in the village Sunday.

Wm. Crandall returned from his
California trip Saturday.

Trotwood Brown is now a member
of the 26th Regular Infantry and is lo-
cated at San Antonio, Tex. He en-
listed in Milwaukee last month.

Miss Mary Home returned from her
Milwaukee visit Friday.

The Congressional social which
was postponed last week, will be held
Wednesday evening, Feb. 27, at the
home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Downing.

The W. C. T. U. meeting will be held
with Mrs. J. L. Shaw next Tuesday
afternoon. Evangelistic service led by
Mrs. Shaw.

Charles Palmer of Mitchell, S. D.,
shook hands with Milton friends Mon-
day. He left this locality twenty-sev-
en years ago.

MISS JENNIE ROE AND
FRED MILLARD OF UTTERS'
CORNERS ARE MARRIED

Utters' Corners, Feb. 25.—At the
pleasant home of Mr. and Mrs. H. J.
Roe Wednesday evening, Feb. 21, oc-
curred the marriage of their daugh-
ter Jennie to Fred Millard. Only the
near relatives witnessed the ceremony
which was performed by Rev. E. C.
Barnard. Mrs. Ogden Roe played the
wedding march. The young couple
took the early morning train for Chi-
cago and on their return will make their
home on the "Green" farm, known as
the C. R. Beach farm.

Mrs. Myron Paynter and daughter
and Miss Nettie Farnsworth visited
at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Dix-
on in West Lima Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hull visited their
cousins, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Hull in
South Whitewater Wednesday.

A pleasant social event occurred at
the home of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. H.
Roe Wednesday night. A delicious
lunch was served and a very enjoy-
able time was had by all. Those pres-
ent were Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Hull, Mr.
and Mrs. D. L. Hull, Mr. and Mrs. My-
ron Paynter and daughter, Mr. and

MYSTERY SHROUDS THEFT OF \$173,000

CHICAGO SUBTREASURER HOPES
IT IS CLERICAL ERROR.

ARRESTS MAY COME SOON

Money Taken by Thieves Is Believed
to Have Been in Bills of
Large Denomina-
tions.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—The reported
theft of \$173,000 from the United
States subtreasury in Chicago still is
surrounded by a deep mystery, and
while Capt. T. I. Pomeroy of the secret
service left his office early Monday on
a mysterious errand in connection
with the case, Treasurer William
Boldenweck, fighting against collapse
under the nervous strain, is hoping
against hope that the loss can be ac-
counted for by some error in book-
keeping. Although it was reported an
arrest would be made in a few hours,
none of the officials interested would
confirm the rumor.

Deputy Assistant United States
Treasurer G. C. Bartz of Washington
arrived in Chicago Monday to take
full charge of the case.

Discovered by Fitzgerald.
It became known that George W.
Fitzgerald discovered the shortage in
his cash, and was the first to report it.
He told the officials that he was
unable to account for it. Fitzgerald
is an exchange teller, and is said to
handle money sent in for redemption
in addition to his other duties. E. J.
Walsh, C. A. Ranker, H. T. Ledden,
H. S. Lock and W. S. Cable are among
the men questioned following the an-
nouncement of the shortage by Fitz-
gerald.

Each was asked to tell of his trans-
actions Tuesday and Wednesday of
last week with one another and with
Fitzgerald, and was asked to suggest
possible ways in which the money
could have been taken from Fitzgerald's
cage or from other places in the
subtreasury.

Bills of Large Denominations.

The money Mr. Boldenweck de-
clares must have been in the form of
bills of large denomination. The pa-
per currency received at the subtreas-
ury comes in large packages, each
labeled with the amount outside. This
is counted by the receiving and count-
ing tellers and by two vault clerks be-
fore it is deposited in the prison-like
vaults in the basement. It may have
been possible that an entire package
was secreted in the apparel of some
employee, as it is difficult to extract
single bills without detection from their
rubber bands.

STEAM YACHT IN DISTRESS.

Nada Off the Jersey Coast with a
Broken Shaft.

Atlantic City, N. J., Feb. 26.—The
steam yacht Nada, bound from Atlan-
tic City for Key West, Fla., was re-
ported in distress Monday night about
three miles east-southeast of the Avalon
life saving station, with a broken
shaft. Capt. Townsend of the Nada
was brought ashore by the life saving
crew to get a tug to tow the injured
yacht into the inlet for repairs. The
crew and two passengers are still on
board the yacht. It was reported
early in the evening that the large
steamer was in distress, but it was
later learned that it was the Nada.

T. B. Aldrich in Serious Condition.

Boston, Feb. 26.—Thomas Bailey Al-
drich, the poet, who underwent an op-
eration at the Homeopathic hospital in
this city several days ago, is in a
serious condition. He at first rallied
from the operation and was believed
to be on a fair way to recovery, when
he suffered a severe relapse.

No Cyclone in Philippines.

Manila, Feb. 26.—The reports re-
cently in circulation that the southern
islands of the Philippine archipelago
had been visited by a severe cyclone
are without foundation.

Read the want ads.

Can Tax Railroad Property.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The cases of
the Union Pacific and Burlington com-
panies against the various county
treasurers of the state of Nebraska,
involving the tax on the property
of the railroads and calling into ques-
tion the administration of the Nebras-
ka state tax law, were decided ad-
versely to the railroads by the su-
preme court of the United States Mon-
day. The decision was an-
nounced by Justice Holmes.

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Our New Hair Vigor

Ayer's Hair Vigor was good; the best
that was made. But Ayer's Hair Vigor,
new improved formula, is better. It is
the one great specific for falling hair. A
new preparation in every way. Ask your
druggist to show it to you, the new kind.
It does not change the color of the hair.
J. C. Ayer & Co., Lowell, Mass.

During February Greatly Reduced Prices On All Lines for Winter Wear

WOMEN'S COATS—Half price for most of them,
with others at even a greater reduction.

CHILDREN'S COATS—Cheap enough to pay you
to buy now for next season's wear.

TAILORED SUITS—Some of the best of them now
on sale at \$10, were up to \$25.50. A few at
\$7.50.

WINTER UNDERWEAR for women and children
is now subject to 25 per cent discount.

FURS—Any piece of fur or any muff now at a liberal
discount.

TRIMMED HATS \$1.25—It's a price put on quite
a number to close them out; were two and three
times the price.

Simpson DRY GOODS

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Saving in light at the expense
of health is poor economy.

Electricity furnishes the only light
that does not consume the oxygen in
the air of a room and thereby render it
unsafe for breathing. There can be no
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16,000--PEOPLE--16,000 DR. BREWER

Will show you the names, the record
of medicines used, and the results
obtained of over 15,000 people treat-
ed by him

THIS EXPERIENCE SHOULD BE WORTH
SOMETHING TO THE SICK.
If you have met Dr. Brewer, you know him to be a candid
and honest man. He never sacrifices manhood for the
dollar nor does he profess to perform wonders but to CURE
ALL CURABLE DISEASES. He has the largest experience
of any doctor in the United States in the treatment of chronic
diseases. DO NOT GIVE UP IF OTHER DOCTORS FAIL.

GET THE BENEFIT OF HIS EXPERIENCE FREE.

We are prepared to show successful results in treating diseases of the
Liver, Heart, Lungs, Stomach, Kidneys, Brain, Nerves, Rheumatism, Neu-
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Scrofula, Pimples, Eruptions, Humors, Blisters, and diseases long stand-
ing.

Address: F. B. Brewer, 1234 Chicago Avenue, Evanston, Ill.

Dr. Brewer will be at the Park House, Janesville, Saturday, Mar. 2 '07

NOMINATED BY PRESIDENT.

Charles A. Bosworth for Assistant
Treasurer at Cincinnati.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The presi-
dent sent to the senate Monday the
following nominations: Assistant
treasurer of the United States at Cin-
cinnati, Charles A. Bosworth, col-
lector of customs, district of Los An-
geles, Cal., Cornelius W. Pendleton,
register of the land office at Chey-
enne, Wyo., William E. Chaplain,
receiver of public moneys at Cheyenne,
Wyo., W. C. Deming.

Postmasters—E. R. Monfort, Cin-
cinnati, L. G. Pennock, Urbana, O.

NICARAGUANS WIN AGAIN.

Capture San Marcos de Colon from
Strong Honduran Army.

Managua, Nicaragua, Feb. 26.—San
Marcos de Colon, a well-fortified Hon-
duran town, which was defended by
Solomon Ordonez, the Honduran min-
ister of war, at the head of a strong
army, was captured by Nicaraguan
forces at four o'clock Monday after-
noon.

Norwegian Bark Stranded.

Nassau, New Providence, Feb. 26.—
The Norwegian bark Saerimner, from
Guilford, February 15, for Buenos
Ayres, is stranded on the Riding
Rocks. Her commander, Capt. Lind-
stol, arrived here in search of assist-
ance. The crew of the Saerimner,
which is loaded with lumber, are safe.

Buy it in Janesville.

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"ALWAYS BUSY."

Recently one of Dr. Richards' patients caught sight of his daily appointment book which showed that almost every working hour of his time for weeks and weeks back had been filled to the limit.

The office reception room outside was also full of waiting patients. The party mentioned that things looked pretty busy around there.

"Yes," said Dr. Richards, "they do."

"But no more today than it always is with me nowadays."

"Well, you ought to be busy," replied the party. "Any man who makes the effort to do painless work deserves the support of the public."

"And there's truth in that statement."

People appreciate the efforts of a man who endeavors to alleviate their sufferings.

They often enter his office as white as a sheet.

Fear deprives them of power to control their nerves and.

Some actually scream before they get in his operating chair.

But under his considerate care they soon find their fears groundless, and depart with a different opinion of one dentist at least.

"Once a patient of Dr. Richards, always a patient," is the usual outcome when people put aside their prejudices and are fair minded.

"Simply because."

"He delivers the goods."

Office over Hall & Sayles' Jewelry Store.

Cleaners & Dyers

Ladies Waists, fine Dresses and Spring Jackets Chemically Dry Cleaned.

Janesville Steam Dye House
Carl F. Brockhaus, Prop.
59 East Milwaukee St.

"The MODEL" BARBER SHOP

Our facial-massages clear up the complexion and leave the skin soft and velvety.

M. J. BRENNAN, Prop.

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A healthful food for young and old. If you value your health you will use Pasteurized Milk all the time. Be on the safe side it cost no more.

JANESVILLE PURE MILK CO.
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Grildley & Craft, Props.

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A bread maker of pronounced superiority—a baking accessory of the most satisfactory sort. Flour troubles end with VICTORY. Ask your grocer for it, and insist on having it. Wholesale and Retail Dealers.

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Janesville Branch Elevator near St. Paul Passenger Depot.
GEO. CAWTHORNE, Mgr.
Both Telephones.

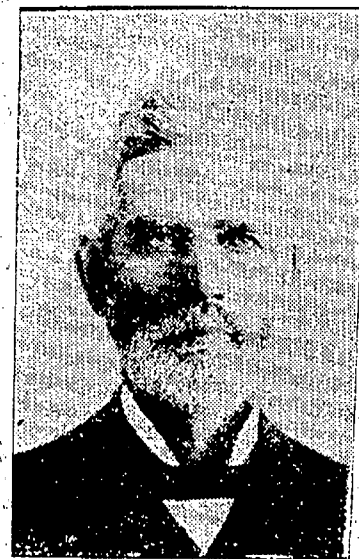
AGED RESIDENT CALLED BY DEATH

E. G. FIFIELD PASSED AWAY AT HIS HOME THIS AFTERNOON.

RESIDENT OF STATESINCE '37

Had Just Passed His Ninetieth Birthday—Had Spent Seventy Years in the State.

Elbridge G. Fifield passed away this afternoon, after an illness of but a few days' duration, at his residence, 204 North Jackson street. Mr. Fifield had just passed his ninetieth birthday, having been born in Selmont, N. H., Feb. 2, 1817. Mr. Fifield came to



ELBRIDGE FIFIELD

Wisconsin in 1837 and with the exception of eighteen years spent in Jefferson county Mr. Fifield had lived in Janesville the remainder of his seventy years' residence. He leaves to mourn his loss: a sister, Mrs. Sarah Bull; two daughters, Mrs. Helen Scherer and Miss Catherine Fifield; and two sons, James Fifield and Frank Fifield, all of this city. The announcement of the funeral will be given later.

CARRIE JACOBS-BOND NOW IN NEW YORK

Former Janesville Resident Giving Concerts at the Princess Theatre.

Mrs. Carrie Jacobs-Bond, a former Janesville resident, appears at the Princess Theatre, New York, on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday of this week in a series of recitals given under the auspices and patronage of Miss Margaret Anglin. The entertainments are for the benefit of the Actors' Church Alliance and the Hanemann Hospital. The New York papers announcing the recitals pay Mrs. Jacobs-Bond high tribute.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Regular meeting of the American Social & Beneficial club at the East Side Odd Fellows' hall Wednesday afternoon.

Circle No. 1 will give a thimble social at the home of Mrs. W. B. Kendel, No. 6 Olive street, Wednesday afternoon at three o'clock. All circles are invited to attend. Mrs. Wm. Marsden, secretary.

Swift & Company's sales of fresh beef in Chicago for the week ending Saturday, Feb. 23, averaged 6.51 cents per pound.

Two local people will drive new Maxwell automobiles this season. F. C. Cook and Dr. G. G. Chittenden have placed orders for the new 14-horsepower runabout cars with Roy Pierson, the local agent.

A regular meeting of Janesville Chapter No. 69, O. E. S., will be held in Masonic hall tomorrow (Wednesday) evening at 7:30 o'clock. There will be work and report of Grand Chapter will be given. M. Chittenden, Sec.

Regular meeting of the F. R. A. Tuesday evening, Feb. 26th, 1907, at East Side Odd Fellows' hall. There will be initiation of candidates and a special program after meeting. Frank J. Bick, Secy.

BRIEF LOCAL NEWS.

Birthday Party: On the evening of Feb. 22d a very pleasant birthday party was given F. B. Child, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Child of La Prairie. It being his 73d birthday anniversary. The birthday cake was especially fine. With card-playing, music and conversation the evening was very pleasantly passed by all present.

New Auto Owners: F. C. Cook and Dr. George Chittenden have purchased Maxwell runabout cars which are expected to arrive here shortly. David Holmes has bought a 1907 model Stoddard-Dayton and has sold his handsome 1906 machine to W. F. Palmer.

TWENTY-FIVE NEWSBOYS HELD BANQUET YESTERDAY

Supper Served Last Evening in G. A. R. Hall—Gymnasium Drill Followed.

Twenty-five members of the Janesville Newsboys Advancement Association enjoyed a banquet in the G. A. R. hall last evening. The supper, which was served by the W. R. C. ladies, proved appetizing and satisfying. After the spread the usual gymnasium drill and games, under the direction of Alfred Griswold, were held.

Slow March of Music.

It takes time for some operas to come to England, but Gluck's "Armide," beloved of Marie Antoinette, probably establishes a record in this respect. To be exact, "Armide"—produced at Covent Garden last night—has taken 120 years to reach our shores since its initial production in Paris.—London Daily Mail.

Burn Taylor's clean coal.

MR. CUNNINGHAM HAS CAUSTIC INTERVIEW

Attorney Whose Name Was Mentioned at Bar Meeting Yesterday Makes Reply.

J. J. Cunningham, whose name was brought before the Rock County Bar Association meeting yesterday, when asked this morning if he had anything to say relative to the subject gave out the following interview:

"I did not know that the matter was to be brought up until the issue of your paper was out last night. If I had I would not have given my consent to the movement. I was busy in my office all day attending to my business and that of my clients and in fact performed and brought to trial the only case disposed of in court yesterday. I greatly appreciate the good will of my friends at the bar, and by the way, those friends are the attorneys who do nine-tenths of the law work of Rock county, those who haven't time to spend nursing feelings of jealousy and envy and enmity engendered by defeat in the trial of cases, and my refusal to compromise clients' rights no matter who was interested against them. I haven't much sympathy with the bar association of Rock county. The chief function it has served has been to foist upon the bar a schedule of fees or charges for services, good, bad or indifferent, rendered, some of which charges are outrageously high and which I refuse and always have refused to subscribe to.

"Then the moral courage of the association shown by the fact, as I get it from your report of its meeting, that its votes are secret, and from that it may be properly inferred, that its chief doings could not stand the light of day. It is further shown by the fact that the association has never refunded to me the five dollars it secured from me some two years ago when its secretary or treasurer received that sum from me, saying the committee had sent him for it, and this committee two or three days later reported adversely to me. If I got my money for what purpose? Gentlemen of the association may answer.

"I have no unkind feelings for any member of the bar association. I entertain feelings of commiseration only for practicing lawyers who have nothing else to do than spend their time in such tomfoolery as yesterday's proceedings. Gentlemen of the association have never been able to find a client of mine who did not say that his cause and his business was faithfully, diligently and with at least not less than average ability attended to. They never will find one, the bar association to the contrary notwithstanding."

ANNUAL BANQUET OF ROCK COUNTY BAR

Was Held at the Hotel Myers Last Evening—William Smith Presided as Toastmaster.

The Rock County Bar Association held its annual banquet last evening in the ordinary of the Hotel Myers. A tempting repast was served in faultless style and afterwards William Smith, as toastmaster, presided over the feast of reason in his customary genial and graceful manner. B. F. Dunwiddie read a thoughtful paper on "The Common Law" and addresses were made by Judge George Grimm, Senator John M. Whitehead, Judge Charles F. Fifield, A. A. Jackson, U. S. District Attorney W. G. Wheeler, John Cunningham, Fred Norcross of Chicago, H. L. McElroy, and others. An informal consideration of "The Dove of Peace" prolonged the discussion until after the midnight hour and brought nearly all of those present to their feet. In addition to those already mentioned the following participated in the festivities: W. A. Jackson of Milwaukee, T. D. Woolsey and H. W. Adams of Beloit, Pliny Norcross, H. L. Maxfield, C. E. Pierce, Rev. R. C. Denison, Jesse Earle, H. H. Blanchard, C. J. Hendricks, F. H. Jackson, Edward H. Ryan, J. L. Fisher, O. A. Oestreich, Wilson Lane, Geo. Tallman, W. O. Newhouse, Louis Avery, Arthur Fisher, S. M. Smith, A. E. Matheson, M. G. Jeffris, William Ingway, W. D. Dougherty, Bernard Palmer, M. O. Mout, F. C. Burpee, Ralph Adair, Francis Grant, and M. P. Richardson.

PERSONAL MENTION.

James Smith, who has been very ill with pneumonia at his home, 302 Racine street, is reported to be much better.

J. J. Cunningham assisted in Knights of Columbus work at Beloit last evening.

J. E. Underwood returned home last evening from a business trip in the east.

Miss Nellie Fardy is visiting with relatives in Monroe.

Miss Viola Luehke is confined to her home with illness.

Mrs. George Mason of Chicago is the guest of Miss Josephine Carle.

Charles Hemming and son of Rockford spent Sunday in this city.

J. W. Bailey is in Milwaukee.

F. M. Dunn of Footville has rented his farm near that place and will go to Chicago and from there will probably go to Atlanta, Georgia, for an extended visit.

Mrs. Moore of Charleston, Ill., is here and will remain during the illness of her uncle, David Jeffris.

P. P. Starr went to Madison this morning to attend the state meeting of county supervisors of assessments.

Mr. Starr will give one of the principal addresses of the session. He was accompanied to the Capital city by Mr. Zykes of Elkhorn, supervisor of assessments in Walworth county.

Contractor Joseph Denning was a business visitor in Stoughton today.

Mrs. Janet B. Day went to Chicago this morning.

Rev. R. C. Denison departed for Chicago this morning.

Thomas Welch has left on a business trip to Buffalo, N. Y.

A. E. Matheson went to Chicago this morning.

Charles R. Bentley of Edgerton is in the city today.

John Simpson of Madison is transacting business here.

H. Meloch of Beloit was in the city last night.

William J. Halcher of Baraboo is in the city on business.

NINTH CONCERT OF THE APOLLO CLUB

Was Enjoyed by a Large Audience Last Evening—John W. Lince of Chicago a Splendid Singer.

The ninth concert of the Apollo Club at library hall last night, in charge of Miss Ada Pond, was enjoyed by a full audience. The program was made up of local talent, with the exception of Mr. John W. Lince from Chicago, whose artistic singing met with most enthusiastic appreciation. Mr. Lince not only possesses a wonderfully clear bass voice of unusual depth and richness, but also is gifted with genuine dramatic power which bespeaks broad experience in oratorio and operatic singing. This finished technique and the ease with which he overcame possible tonal difficulties was a valuable object lesson to young aspirants for vocal honors.

Mrs. John G. Rexford's number, exquisitely accompanied by Miss Crandall with violin obligato, was charming. Mrs. Rexford's voice, with its almost plaintive sweetness, never fails to go straight to the hearts of her hearers.

The opening numbers by Miss Treat and Miss Merrill were attractively rendered. The vocal duets by Miss McKinney and Miss Josephine Treat, also the quartette song by Miss Anna Johnson and Mrs. Putnam and Messrs. Frank B. Smith and Len Matthews, all showed a sincerity in execution which attested the unusual understanding of these valued members of the club.

The orchestral number by Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Lewis, ably assisted by Miss Crandall and Miss Alberta Crandall, was a delight. The violin work of the Misses Crandall is always marked by such rare beauty and purity of tones that their appearance on an Apollo Club program is more than welcome if not indeed a signal for applause. Do the music lovers of Janesville realize what a great work is being accomplished by Mr. and Mrs. Lewis in cultivating the orchestral possibilities of our local young musicians?

Too much praise cannot be given Miss Ada Pond to whose untiring efforts no small measure of the success of this year's efforts of the club is due. Her splendid work at the piano deserves special commendation. Miss Pond possesses that quality par excellence in an accompanist, sympathy which is always an inspiration to the singer. With two more concerts this season's work of the Apollo Club will close.

OBITUARY.

Mrs. Walter Honeysett. Residents of Footville and vicinity were shocked this morning by the sudden and unexpected demise of Mrs. Walter Honeysett. The death occurred at her home at half-past two o'clock. Mrs. Honeysett was stricken with inflammatory rheumatism a week ago Sunday and the disease later gripped the brain, proving fatal. The deceased was born in Scotland fifty-two years ago and was one of the best known and most popular women in Footville. The funeral will be held from the home at 12:30 o'clock Thursday noon and from the Christian church in Footville at one.

Mrs. Ellen Sullivan. Funeral services over the remains of the late Mrs. Ellen Sullivan were held at St. Patrick's church at nine o'clock this morning. The pallbearers were James Burns, Thomas Burns, Frank Croak and J. A. Ryan. Burial was in Mount Olivet.

Mrs. Wilhelmina Timm. Mrs. Wilhelmina Timm, a resident of Janesville for many years, died at her home at 60 Park avenue, at half past twelve o'clock this morning. She was seventy-three years old and is survived by five children. The funeral will be held from St. John's German Lutheran church Thursday afternoon and interment will be in Oak Hill cemetery. The hour of the services will be announced later.

Lillian Pufahl. Mr. and Mrs. Herman Zander will come here tonight from Rhineland, Wis., bringing the remains of the late Lillian Pufahl. Arrangements for the funeral will be made after their arrival.

Burn Taylor's clean coal.

Purity of Bread.

It cannot be too often repeated that of all food that comes to table there is nothing so pure as bread.—London Bakers' Times.

Some Foes of Memory.

Scientists have discovered that the memory is stronger in summer than in winter. Among the worst foes of memory are too much food, too much physical exercise, and, strangely enough, too much education.



EDWARD-AMERPOTH.

One of the leading candidates for alderman on the republican ticket in the Third ward.

JOHN BALFE IS ON TRIAL FOR ASSAULT

Assault and Battery: John Balfe is being tried by a jury in municipal court today on a charge of assault and battery performed by Julius Krueger.

Lightning Always from Clouds.

Many photographs of lightning taken in the Transvaal show that, in all cases, the discharges were from cloud to cloud, or from the clouds to the earth. Nothing was discovered which indicated that the motion was ever from the earth to the clouds.

TO THE VOTERS.

I desire to announce I am a candidate for the nomination for city clerk on the republican ticket at the primaries to be held March 19. LOUIS N. SKAVLEM.

TOOTH BRUSH SALE TOMORROW

All day tomorrow you can buy Tooth Brushes

at a big reduction. The stock is double the size ordinarily offered and the sale is exceptional. Lot No. 1 includes all 35c, 30c, 25c and 20c, one price for choice, Wednesday

18c.

Lot No. 2 includes all brushes regular 15c and 10c, your choice, Wednesday only.

8c.

The brushes are the best make. Not a poor one in the lot.

McGUE & BUSS
14 So. Main St.

Special For Wednesday

20 lbs. Granulated Sugar and 1 sack Golden Palace Flour, \$2.05

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Corner Stone, the best Patent Flour on Earth, \$1.15.
Monsoon Flour \$1.00 Sack
Sweet Potatoes Rutabagas, and Cabbage.
H. G. Lettuce.

Fancy Baldwin Apples.
Home Grown Doughnuts, Cookies and Bread.

Old Style Steel Cut Oatmeal.

126 Size Oranges 30c doz.

4 lbs. Bulk Macaroni 25c.

Square Deal Plug Tobacco 25c lb.

6 lbs. Santa Clara Prunes 25c

3 lbs. 50 to 60 Santa Clara Prunes 25c.

3 lb. Can Dollar Package

Richelieu Coffee \$1

Gallon Catsup, Apples and Peaches.

Codfish 10c Brick.

Van Houten's Cocoa.

Huyler's Cocoa 25c.

Crystal Domino Loaf Sugar.

Force Breakfast Food 15c package 5c.

Sure Popping Corn 6 lbs. 25c

Swift's Jersey Butterine 13c.

Swift's Premium Butterine 18c.

Old Fashioned Hominy

Cane Sugar, only.

Best 50c Tea on earth.

Best 25c Coffee on earth.

Home Rendered Lard 14c lb.

Home Made Sausage 12 1/2c lb.

Roasts of Beef, Veal, Lamb and Pork.

Pork Tenderloins.

Wafer Sliced Dried Beef.

Boiled Ham and Bacon.

Groceries and Meat.

NASH

False Logic.

Attorney General Moody, discussing a legal point, said: "That is striking but false logic. It reminds me of a conversation I once heard at the seashore. A man in a striped bathing suit was running on thin, pale legs over the hot white beach toward the cool water when a friend, seizing him by the arm, said: 'What! Are you going in to bathe just after a heavy lunch? Why, you will be drowned.' 'Oh, no; not at all,' replied the other. 'I ate nothing but fish.'"

The People Will Not Worry.

The brimstone trust will not worry people who reflect that something of that kind is needed to remind the other trusts that there is a hereafter.

The rapid growth of

this bank during the past year is gratifying to its management

and to the public. The deposit account in that

time has increased about \$200,000, a gain of 40 per cent or an average of

\$650 for every business day. The total resources have touched the highest

figure in the history of the bank, \$900,000, and the capital surplus and undivided profits are now

\$177,000—\$10,000 more than they were a year ago.

WEST SIDE THEATRE ROLLER SKATING

Monday, Wednesday, Friday and Saturday Nights and Every Afternoon.

COUNTRY HOME FOR SALE.

Forty acres of the Woodruff farm, located 1 1/2 miles northwest of Janesville post-office. Large modern house and barn. Buildings cost \$25,000. Elegant view. Good tobacco land. Price, \$12,500. More land if desired.

Fifty-eight acres on Magnolia Ave. Good six-room house, large barn, well and windmill. Rich land, desirable location. Price, \$7,600. INQUIRE OF

GEO. WOODRUFF, Janesville, Wis.

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By skilled workmen, cannot be done for less than our reasonable prices.

A cheap piece of work at a cheap price, is invariably the most expensive in the end.

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FAIR STORE. CLOTHING

75c Men's Black Sateen. Shirts at 50c.
Men's Black and White. Work Shirts, Janesville make, at 50c.
Men's Light. Colored. Negligee Shirts with separate collar, at 50c.
Men's Blue. Apron. Overalls, well made, at 50c; 60c and 75c.
Men's Jackets in blue, checked or striped

Suburban News in Brief

BARKERS' CORNERS

Barkers' Corners, Feb. 25.—The Ladies Aid meets with Mrs. Clarence Adie on Thursday morning, Feb. 28. Quilting will be the order of the day and a full attendance is desired. Come as early as possible.

August Beaufort has been on the sick list last week.

Gilbert Gleason of Madison is visiting at Thomas Kneeland's.

Little Gladys Oakley, who has been sick, is reported better.

Mrs. Albert Starks spent one day last week in Edgerton.

Arthur Hodge has had the Wisconsin telephone put in.

Ed O. Dutton visited at his parental home last week.

Willie Shoemaker, who has been under the doctor's care, is out again. Those who have been suffering with the grip are Mr. and Mrs. Sam Craig, Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Dutton, Mrs. W. H. Taylor and Mrs. S. P. Alverson.

George Grundy, who has been suffering with the neuralgia of the brain, is up and out again.

Chris Johnson has gone to South Dakota to attend his cousin's wedding and expects to be gone about three weeks.

The Felders Bros. sawed wood at Deantow's Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Fleck spent the first of last week in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. McGowan, who for many years have been employed at the county farm, have gone north. Their many friends will miss them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Callison have moved from the Barker stone house into the county house and will take up the work previously done by Mr. and Mrs. Rowan.

Chris Lorey is assisting Willie Paul this week.

Lola Cutts is at Gillingham with Rev. L. E. Warren and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Chesbro spent Sunday at Joseph Flagg's.

Miss Martha Beaufort spent Sunday at Six Corners.

Arthur Russell has rented his farm for the coming year and will move into the city.

Ezra Dutton is away attending their conference.

Edw. Wollen is working for Ezra Dutton the coming year.

Geo. Havens spent last week in Chicago visiting his aunt, Mrs. Chas. Brown.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Kitter spent Sunday at Chas. Davis.

Mrs. Frank McDermott has been ill with the grippe this week.

Mrs. A. G. Russell spent Sunday afternoon with Mrs. Chas. Shoemaker.

You men are cordially invited to attend Jim Pennycook's auction Wednesday. Free lunch served at noon.

Miss Rose Collison visited her brother, J. J. Callison, last week.

W. E. Shoemaker spent last week in St. Paul.

Miss Margaret Clough spent several days visiting Mary Abbott last week.

George McDermott is entertaining his cousin, Harry Ewing of Janesville.

Fred Stewart will move on the Morris/Hollan place this spring for the ensuing year.

Mr. Huebner will work the Walrath farm this next year.

NEWARK

Newark, Feb. 25.—There will be a chicken pie social given by the ladies of the Newark Cemetery association Friday evening, March the eighth, at the Newark Woodman hall. There also will be a "grab bag." A hearty invitation is extended to all.

The many friends of Miss Edna Roy, who is to undergo an operation for an abscess in her ear tomorrow, at the St. Anthony hospital at Rockford, trust that her recovery will be speedy.

Leaver of Avon is sawing wood in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Merlet moved onto their farm near Beloit that they purchased recently.

Miss Bessie Cox is spending the week with relatives at Johnson Creek.

Gilman Nelson of Orfordville spent Sunday with friends in this vicinity.

A number of Oscar Olson's friends gave him a pleasant surprise Saturday evening. All report a good time.

Mrs. Byron Smith is slowly recovering from an attack of la grippe.

Mrs. A. Hurley's condition continues about the same.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Carroll and Harry

Carroll of Beloit spent Sunday with relatives in this vicinity.

RICHMOND

Richmond, Feb. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Goodger of Delavan spent Friday with relatives in this vicinity.

On Monday evening of last week Mr. and Mrs. Charles Morrissey welcomed a baby girl to their home.

Mrs. H. W. Collins spent last week with relatives at Milton.

Miss O. Keach has nearly recovered from her serious illness.

Miss Kennedy of Whitewater is a guest of relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. James De Laney are the proud parents of a baby girl.

Miss Maude Young, a former teacher here, was married on Thursday to Volney Dargett.

The teacher and pupils of the village school prepared an interesting program for Washington's birthday.

Miss Pearl Mitchell entertained a number of the young people at her home on Friday evening.

The basket social held in the schoolhouse in the De Laney district on Saturday evening was largely attended.

August Reinke and August Stork each have a public auction this week.

CENTER

Center, Feb. 25.—Seth Crall left for Mason City, Iowa, last Thursday to attend a stock sale.

The Misses Genevieve Ryan and Eva Schroder of Janesville were guests of Katie Crall over Sunday.

Fred Penick delivered his tobacco Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Crall very pleasantly entertained a party of young people who assembled at their home in response to invitation on last Thursday evening to help celebrate Miss Emma Shumaker's nineteenth birthday.

The evening was devoted to various amusements and at midnight a sumptuous chicken-pie supper was served. The guest of honor was presented with a handsome gold bracelet, which testified to the high esteem in which she is held by Mr. and Mrs. Crall and the friends assembled.

The guests were: Ernest and Miss Blanche Wheeler of Porter and the Misses Genevieve Ryan, Eva Schroder and Elsie Shumaker of Janesville.

The Janesville high school students as well as Miss Mary Robery and Miss Vera Fuller spent Washington's birthday at home.

Mrs. Bert Silverthorn and daughter were over-Sunday visitors in Beloit.

Center friends of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brown and family extend their deepest sympathy in their recent bereavement.

Quite a number in the locality are sick with severe colds and grippe.

Miss Elsie Shumaker of Janesville came out to attend her sister's birthday party last Thursday evening and visited her school Friday.

Clayton Fishers home from the university over Sunday.

GIBBS LAKE

Gibbs Lake, Feb. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Hoague visited last Sunday at Mr. Dutton's of Barkers Corners.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wheeler visited a few days last week with relatives in Beloit.

Dr. Cleary of Edgerton was called to see Mrs. Tom Huggert, who has not been getting along as well as expected, but was a little better at this writing.

Ernest Kane was a pleasant caller at Joe Wheeler's last Wednesday evening.

Mrs. Wm. Mosher was called to Leyden to help care for her daughter, Mrs. T. B. Mosher, who was threatened with pneumonia, but is better now. Her son Frank is confined to the house with grippe.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Fox and family spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ford.

Chas. Hoague, Jr. was home from the U. W. a few days last week.

Ed. Keysaw sawed wood for Ed. Fox Tuesday and Tom Condon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cassidy were Janesville shoppers last Monday.

Geo. Gentle of Johnsonville was a business caller in this vicinity Monday.

Mrs. Chas. Stewart was a caller at Tom Huggert's Sunday.

Mrs. Chas. Bliven has been spending the week at Geo. Pell's, near Edgerton.

Ernest Kane has purchased a horse and buggy of Geo. Hiller.

Ernest Wheeler and sister Blanche and James and Alice Reilly attended a party in Center last Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry Williams were over-Sunday visitors at Chas. Bliven's.

Frank Ludden and Jesse Bliven and Ernest Wheeler were visitors at Wm. Mosher's Sunday.

Myrt O'Neill sawed wood for his brother Joe Thursday.

Paul Handtke came home from Edgerton last week and was confined to the house with the grippe.

COOKSVILLE

Cooksville, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Sue Savage of North Fond du Lac and Mrs. Edna Danks of Danbury were visitors last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Robertson spent Sunday with Oren Johnson and family.

Albert Danks, who has sold his farm, will have an auction on March 13th. The family will move to Stoughton.

Mrs. Gillies, who went to Milwaukee last Wednesday, returned home the last of the week.

Winfield Smart and Charles Miller have been baling hay for John Wall of Union.

Mesdames Electa Savage and Agnes Robertson were callers at the homes of Mrs. Lillian Viney and Hattie Porter last Friday.

Charles and Fred Miller shipped about three carload of fine cattle to Chicago one day last week.

Ole Hagen and family spent Sunday with friends south of here.

Mrs. Winfield Smart entertained a few relatives and friends on Monday afternoon at the home of her mother, Mrs. Wm. Gilley.

FOOTVILLE

Footville, Feb. 25.—A large crowd from here attended the auction at Gus Ade's in Center Monday.

Grippe is prevalent in Footville.

Mrs. G. D. Silverthorn, who has been quite sick, is able to be around the house again.

Jim Mable of Rockford spent Sunday with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. Adin Ross of Beloit visited old friends here over Sunday. Quite a large crowd attended the funeral of the late Mr. Egan Saturday morning.

Don't forget the union-temperance rally at the Christian church Sunday, March 3. Rev. Mr. Boag of Orfordville and Rev. Mr. Clapper will be the speakers. Come.

LA PRAIRIE

La Prairie, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Wm. Howard is seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. James Scobie's son is recovering from an attack of pneumonia.

Mrs. Katherine Caldwell of New York is visiting her cousins, Mrs. Cora and Harry Finch, Mrs. Leda Reader and Mrs. Thornton Read.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cogswell of Johnston visited at Eugene Culver's Sunday.

Will McConnon, Ralph Howard, R. K. Overton and E. F. Funk each shipped a carload of stock Monday from Shopiere.

Dance this week Friday evening at the Grange hall. Everybody welcome.

Several from here attended the Rebekah masquerade in Janesville Friday evening.

Miss Elizabeth Conway spent a few days last week with Mrs. Andrew Doyl of Harmony.

Mr. and Mrs. Thornton Read attended the Mason party in Beloit Thursday evening.

FAIRFIELD

Fairfield, Feb. 25.—Robert Roy is visiting his daughter, Mrs. Roy Tarant, in Milwaukee.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Clowes very pleasantly entertained a few neighbors at dinner Saturday.

A. L. Thomson and Clifford Swan departed Friday for a visit in Chicago and Ellwood.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stewart spent Sunday at James Eights, at Johnston.

Alden Richards left Friday for Brooklyn, Wis., where he will work for his brother the coming season.

Miss Etta Windeck so far recovered from her illness as to return to her home in Allen Grove.

Miss Corrie Dykeman is visiting her aunt, Mrs. Will Johnson, near Darlen.

Quite a number in this vicinity are sick with the grippe.

S. Carlson went to Janesville Sunday, where he will undergo an operation for appendicitis at the Palmer hospital. His many friends wish him a speedy recovery.

Miss Mina Gage entertained a company of friends Friday.

The many friends of James Clowes are sorry to hear that he does not recover from his recent sickness.

R. S. Youngs of Darlen was a caller at A. W. Chamberlin's Sunday.

Frank Doane of Delavan and a number from Darlen attended church here Sunday.

JOHNSTOWN

Johnstown, Feb. 25.—Mrs. Nelson of Antelope, Dakota, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. P. Randall, the past two months, and left Saturday for Packwaukee, Wis., to visit her brother, D. Austin, and family.

Wednesday, Feb. 20, Mr. and Mrs. George Austin and Mr. and Mrs. Frank McKellips drove to Janesville to attend the play, "The Helix to the Hoarh."

Harriet Miner of Milton Junction is assisting Mrs. Avon Rye with her household duties.

George Mawhinney, Sr., Rosa Lerch, Mrs. L. Nickerson and John McCann's little girl are numbered among the sick ones.

T. Sheridan filled the icehouse at the market last week.

Mrs. Lorenzo McKellips went to the Janesville hospital this week Monday. Her many friends hope for a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Cogswell spent Sunday in La Prairie at the home of E. Culver.

Mrs. W. Winch of Milton Junction is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Avon Rye.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Craig entertained at a dinner Saturday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. W. Fellows of Janesville, Mr. and Mrs. E. Austin, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Jones.

The afternoon was devoted to games which afforded much pleasure.

John McMullen and family have moved from the D. Z. McElay farm into C. Hackwell's tenant house in Bradford.

Miss Anna Dietrich was a guest of her sister, Mrs. Will Miller of Koshkonong last week.

L. McKellips of North Dakota has been visiting his cousin, Lorenzo McKellips, and family.

Bert Austin entertained the families of Frank McKellips, George Austin and Chet Rogers Sunday afternoon to a wild goose dinner.

Miss Tillie Plumb visited Janesville relatives last week. She returned Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Taylor were Monday guests of Whitewater relatives.

MAGNOLIA

Magnolia, Feb. 25.—N. C. Clarke of Milton visited his parents, C. L. Clarke and wife, and his sister Lottie Thursday and Friday of last week.

A large number from this place attended the funeral of Mrs. Anna Bush Brichman Sunday.

Mesdames Gusti Rummung and Sarah Walker of Beloit visited relatives here Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Minnie Edwards of Koshkonong visited her mother from Thursday night until Sunday night.

A farewell party was given in the hall Monday night for Mr. and Mrs. Sorenson and Harry Townsend and wife.

H. McCoy of Pittsville is visiting his brother, Lyle McCoy.

C. L. Clark went to Madison Monday on business.

George Andrew visited his parents last week.

Mrs. Geo. Lee visited her son last week.

Mr. Cole, our creamery man, has decided to stay.

Frank Green and wife visited their parents Saturday and Sunday.

WEST PORTER

West Porter, Feb. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. John Sperry of Evansville called at the home of their daughter, Mrs. Lloyd Hubbard, yesterday.

George Keylock is moving onto the

Munger farm west of Evansville.

Hiram Lasse, an old resident of this vicinity, who had been absent for thirty-one years, has been calling on oldtime friends here.

James Moram delivered his 1906 crop of tobacco at Stoughton today.

One of Martin Burg's children is quite sick.

Locke Pierce is moving his household goods in the Henry Searles house in Evansville today.

Pilny Tolles and wife were callers at George Morrison's yesterday.

The Farmers' Institute which was held in Evansville last Friday and Saturday was well attended by people of this vicinity. All report it as a success.

There will be a dancing party in the Porter band hall Friday, March 1. Music by Leaver's Harp orchestra.

Burr W. Tolles of Janesville has moved in the Tuller house on South Madison street in Evansville.

THE BUSY MAN'S CORNER.

Property in the downtown district of Pittsburg, valued at \$350,000, was destroyed by fire.

John W. Lovimer, an Iowa pioneer, the owner of 60 farms and rated as a millionaire, died.

Archibald Claverling Gunther, author, publisher and playwright, died suddenly in New York.

Prof. Matteucci of the Vesuvius observatory denies that he prophesied the possible destruction of the world by a comet.

Five men connected with the Missouri legislature now have smallpox, the latest case being Representative Kirkpatrick.

Gay Tance of Waterbury, Conn., a lad of six years, found his grandfather's pipe six weeks ago and took to smoking it. The boy died of tobacco poison.

One man was probably fatally burned and many windows were broken by an explosion of gas in the basement of the Bittner building, Sandusky, O.

The Georgia Southern & Florida passenger train for Jacksonville, Fla., was wrecked about 45 miles south of Macon, Ga. The engineer was killed. No passengers injured.

The supreme court of the United States decided the case of the Gulf, Colorado & Santa Fe Railroad vs. the railroad commission of Texas involving state freight rates, favorably to the state.

LOW FARE BILL IS PASSED.

Missouri Legislature Adopts Measure with Penalty Amendment.

Jefferson City, Mo., Feb. 26.—After amending the two-cent-a-mile passenger railroad rate bill, Monday, making the penalty for violation a fine of \$100 to \$500, the house of the Missouri legislature passed the bill. The senate promptly concurred in the amendment and the measure was sent to the governor.

The bill affects all railroads in the state, except independent lines of less than 45 miles, which may charge four cents per mile.

The senate passed the Bradley bill, providing for an eight-hour day for telegraphers, who handle train orders. Where one train dispatcher is employed in the daytime only, 12 hours is the maximum.

Silver Service for the Georgia.

Atlanta, Ga., Feb. 26.—The state of Georgia will present a silver service valued at \$10,000 to the battleship bearing her name. A committee consisting of Gov. Terrell and the mayors of one important city in each congressional district of the state met in the governor's office Monday and selected the design for the service, which will consist of 58 pieces.

Frank J. Hearne Is Dead.

Denver, Col., Feb. 26.—Frank J. Hearne, president of the Colorado Fuel & Iron company, died at 7:45 o'clock Monday night. Interment will take place in Kansas City, the funeral train leaving here Tuesday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Mr. Hearne was a brother of Mrs. Kirk B. Armour, head of the Kansas City branch of the Armour family.

Fatal Fire at Niagara Falls.

Niagara Falls, N. Y., Feb. 26.—The plant of the Acker Process company was destroyed by fire Monday afternoon. Henry S. Fairchild, an electrician, was caught under a falling wall and killed. Several cables from the power houses were torn down by falling walls. The loss is \$800,000.

Commercial Clubs at San Juan.

San Juan, Porto Rico, Feb. 26.—The steamer Prinz Joachim arrived here Monday. The members of the commercial clubs of Boston, Chicago, Cincinnati and St. Louis, by whom the steamer is chartered, will be given receptions by the Spanish, American and native residents of the capital.

Claim an \$80,000,000 Estate.

Lexington, Ky., Feb. 26.—Claiming they are descendants of Baron Springer, of Sweden, and heirs to an \$80,000,000 estate in Delaware, including the site of the city of Wilmington, Mrs. Belle Jones and Mrs. W. C. Moore of this city, Monday announced they will at once send attorneys to Wilmington to investigate the matter with a view of obtaining their share of the estate.

Coy Kills His Uncle.

St. Louis, Mo., Feb. 26.—During a family quarrel Monday night, during which he took his mother's part, Gilbert Ashley, 15 years old, shot and killed his uncle, Edward Murphy, 32 years old.

National Finance.

We should reform the taxes, and especially reduce the income-tax to a peace rate, before reducing the debt. Nineteenth Century.

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SHIP SUBSIDY BILL IS GIVEN A BOOST

HOUSE LIKELY TO PASS THE LITTAUER SUBSTITUTE.

VOTE COMES ON FRIDAY

Administration Said to Have Exerted Influence—Four Important Measures Passed by the Senate.

Washington, Feb. 26.—Ship subsidy secured a marked impetus Monday in the house, which just before adjournment adopted a rule that will probably insure the passage by the house of the Littauer substitute for the senate billand result before the final adjournment in positive legislation.

The rule was reported by Mr. Dargatzis from the committee on rules in the shape of a resolution providing that the compromise bill shall be considered, with debate limited to five hours, and that the final vote shall be taken not later than next Friday afternoon at three o'clock. The rule was adopted by a vote of 158 to 122. 24 Republicans voting with the Democrats in opposition to the rule.

To Please Administration.

The rule was agreed upon unexpectedly by the rules committee at a meeting held after the visit of Secretary Root to the capital and it was very generally understood that the administration was responsible for the committee's action.

The conference report on the Indian appropriation bill was adopted, as was the conference report on the bill providing for the allotment and distribution of Indian tribal funds. A number of small bills were passed.

Senate Passes Four Bills.

The senate Monday passed the agricultural appropriation bill, carrying nearly \$10,000,000; the post office appropriation bill, carrying \$210,000,000; the pension appropriation bill, carrying \$145,000,000; and the bill authorizing the establishment of an agricultural bank in the Philippine islands.

The principal fight over the agricultural bill took place on the Beveridge amendment requiring the packers to pay the cost of administering the meat inspection law. This amendment was defeated on a point of order. Mr. Beveridge secured the adoption of an amendment which requires the date of canning and inspection to appear on the label of the can containing meat products.

The post office bill was passed in an hour and 15 minutes. Amendments adding \$1,382,759 for the extension of the pneumatic mail service and requiring postal cars to be lighted with electricity were adopted.

Bank for the Philippines.

Mr. Lodge secured the passage of the Philippine agricultural bank bill. An amendment to this bill offered by Senator Culberson, declaring the intention of the United States to be to abandon the islands as soon as a stable independent government should be established, was defeated.

The senate also passed a bill granting a service pension to army nurses. Those who are disqualified to earn a livelihood and have reached the age of 62 years are to receive \$12 a month at 70 years \$15, and at 75 years, \$20.

By a vote of 43 to 19, the senate Monday night ratified the Santo Domingo treaty. This was one more vote in the affirmative than was required.

GUESTS JUMP FROM WINDOWS.

Hickory Inn, North Carolina Resort, Burns—Five Persons Hurt.

Greensboro, N. C., Feb. 26.—Hickory Inn, at Hickory, N. C., one of the largest hotels in the western part of the state and a noted resort, was destroyed by fire early Monday. When the fire was discovered it had made such headway that escape by the stairway was impossible for those on the second and third floors. Of the 30 guests in the hotel about 20 were forced to jump from second and third-story windows. Five were badly injured, one, a traveling salesman, probably having his back broken. The loss will exceed \$50,000.

AMBASSADOR BRYCE PRESENTED.

Introduced to the President by Secretary of State Root.

Washington, Feb. 26.—James Bryce, ambassador from Great Britain to the United States, was presented to the president Monday afternoon by Secretary Root. The ambassador was attended by the members of the embassy staff and the president by Col. Charles S. Brownell and Capt. Fitzhugh Lee, his military aid. The presentation took place in the blue room and the usual felicitous speeches were made.

Col. J. E. Ewing Is Dead.

Chicago, Feb. 26.—Col. J. E. Ewing, publisher of the Financier, of New York, died suddenly Monday afternoon two hours after he was stricken by apoplexy while in the New York Life Insurance building, La Salle and Monroe streets.

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KANSAS LEGISLATORS SLOW.

Must Prolong Session to Finish Their Important Business.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 26.—The regular 50 days' session of the legislature contemplated by the state constitution comes to an end Tuesday, but both houses will remain in session until about March 9, in order to finish the work which they have before them. Gov. Hoch Monday transmitted to both houses of the legislature a special message calling the attention of the members to the fact that, although the time allotted to them has already expired, not a single piece of important general legislation has so far passed both houses. In the message the governor urges upon the members the necessity of pushing through the important bills now before them before final adjournment is taken.

KANSAS LOSES "KATY" SUIT.

Supreme Court Decides State Is Not Owner of Certain Land.

Washington, Feb. 26.—The stubbornly contested case of the state of Kansas against the United States, which was brought as an original action in the supreme court of the United States, was decided by that court Monday by dismissing the state's petition to be adjudged the owner as trustee for the Missouri, Kansas & Texas Railway company of vast and valuable tracts of coal and farming lands in Indian Territory. The court's opinion was handed down by Chief Justice Fuller.

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As on the western prairies in pioneer days, the trapper's camp fire, kindled to prepare his frugal meal or to warm him from the biting wind, fanned into renewed vigor, spread, first on the tiny blade of grass to neighboring blades, and thence to the tangled masses all around until the broad plains were one vast sea of seething flame destroying all before it, so the mail order business, started in the eastern cities on a small scale, fanned by the breeze of judicious advertising, has spread until it now covers the length and breadth of our land and threatens disaster to the smaller dealers everywhere. The note of warning has been sounded, the light is visible in the sky, and yet, apparently oblivious to it all, the ones whose safety is being endangered, heed not the alarm nor the signal of disaster. The country merchant and the farmer, whose combined efforts can stem the tide of destruction that threatens to engulf them, are alone unconscious of the approaching devastation, that, like a great sea of consuming flame, is threatening to engulf them.

The country merchant and the farmer—the simple, honest dwellers in the rural districts, are the victims this gigantic peril is reaching out for to fill its rapacious maw. Each year its grasp becomes firmer its power greater. Only a few short years ago the catalogue house was a thing unheard of, to-day it stands as one of America's greatest institutions. And with great fortune comes great power, so now the mail order business may well be classed among the powers of the nation. Its efforts are already being felt at the national capital,

selves in this connection. With the rapid growth of the mail order business being established. These large firms are daily reaching out for new sections of trade. What will be the result along this line? With the growth of the catalogue house comes the death of the rural mercantile trade. Let them once destroy the country merchant and the markets of the world will be in the hands of a few wealthy capitalists. Their branch houses will appear in all the country towns and the farmer will no longer be independent. His friend, the country dealer, who through competition was forced to pay the value of the butter, eggs, etc., will be a thing of the past, and in his place will appear the fat, gloating face of the capitalist, in whose benumbed conscience there is no thought of pity, whose breast contains instead of a heart a great lump of cold stony gold, whose one ambition is to build up a greater fortune than the world has ever seen, and who cares naught for the tears or trials, woes or weeping of his victims so long as he can squeeze a little more of the coveted glittering treasure from him.

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English Breakfast Table.
On the English breakfast table are to be found golden tea, "bacon mit poached eggs, fried sole, jams and toasts," and in high vases long-stemmed yellow and white narcissi.—Vienna Neue Freie Presse.

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Let us pour a libation to croquet—a sport of young and old, innocent, simple, accessible like playing with the cat, and, like that exercise, an escape into a world of revelry that is calm.—Collier's Weekly.

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Queer, indeed!
"The face of the person," said the chairman of the meeting, "shows 67 ayes and no noses." "What a queer-looking face that must be!" remarked an old lady in the back row.

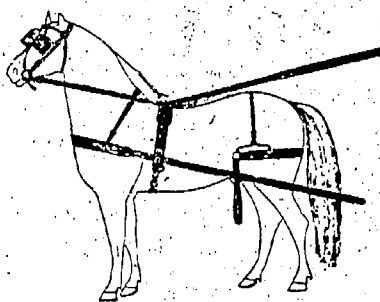
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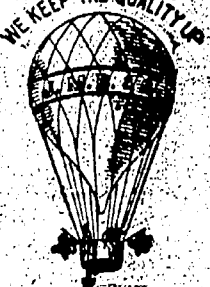
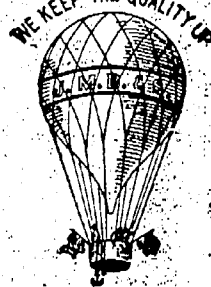
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where our laws are made, and unless a check is administered the passage of the parcels post bill will mark one of its greatest triumphs.

But let us look at a few of the simple reasons why the farmer should patronize the home dealer. In the first place their interests are centered in each other. Every season of plenty on the farm means a prosperous year to the country merchant. So in the prosperity of the farmer does the country merchant expect to gain. The farmer finds, therefore, in the country dealer, a staunch and loyal friend and a defender of his rights. They pay taxes together, live side by side, their children play and go to school together. When the crops are poor or misfortune comes, to whom does the farmer look? Not to the mail order magnate, but to his neighbor, the country merchant. How often does the mail order concern take any interest in the political questions or legal measures beneficial to the farmer? Yet with their bright-hued catalogue of pictured "bargains" they reach out an open hand for the farmer's hard earned dollar. And does he get value received? Not often. The first order he may, but that is only a bait. The business is not founded on principles, it is not built on honorable methods, its mighty walls are erected on graft. The goods are shop-worn or shoddy, or perhaps many kinds of goods have defects so cunningly concealed that the naked eye can scarcely see a difference between these articles and those of a much higher grade. You are expected to send cash with the order or have it ready when the goods arrive with the big C. O. D. mark on the package. Your crop fails, or shortage of money doesn't interest the mail order house, your credit with them is good only so long as your pocket book is filled. Your order is made out and you pay for goods you never saw, put up and selected by men you do not know. If these goods do not prove to be worth the money, if the shoes do not wear well, or the suit is shoddy goods, will the mail order firm make them good? Not often. Yet the local dealer will do this. He knows his honesty is his best-drawing card. So much for the advantage of dealing with honest men and not with grafters.

Still other issues present themselves: sub-stations or branch houses

bring comfort or necessary improvements in the country places? Then why should the farmer patronize them? By actual test it has been found that the same goods can be procured as cheaply, if not at more reasonable prices, at home. Trade with your neighbor, whose interests are your interests, whose hand is always ready to assist you in time of trouble. Patronize those who patronize you. Use the flashy catalogue of the mail order house to help kindle the kitchen fire, and keep your money at home where it will benefit you and your neighbors over and over again. The farmer's dollar, earned by honest toil, should not be added to the blood money of these great mail order corporations. The farmer must join the local merchant and the country editor in battling this great peril that is creeping, creeping onward with great rapidity, and unless these forces are combined and their efforts prove increasing, the day is not far distant when the chance will be gone forever—the power will be too great to conquer.

IVER H. SMITH.

Snakes Reared for Their Skins.

The idea that snakes are useless creatures and should be exterminated wherever found, will have to pass away, says the Shoe Trade Journal, as in Australia they are now being systematically reared for the sake of their skins, which have a considerable commercial value in London, Paris and New York. Snake-skin is the fashionable material for slippers, belts, bags, purses, jewel boxes, card cases, dressing-table accessories, etc. Rabbit trappers supplement their means considerably by catching young snakes and extracting their poisonous fangs. The blacks are also expert snake catchers. To them the snake is an agreeable article of diet.

The Fortune Tempted.

A well known British nobleman was actually engaged to Miss Courts, but on her challenging him one day whether it was her personality or her great fortune which appealed to him, he frankly acknowledged that although he was much attached to her, her vast property had been his special inducement in betrothing himself.

Her reply was characteristic: "Let us then remain the best of friends instead of being the poorest of lovers."

First Use of Surnames.

During the reign of Edward the Confessor of England the practice of employing surnames began.

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Highest Town on Earth.
Pasco, in Peru, is the highest town in the world, standing as it does 14,275 feet above sea level.

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